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In re Application of : Cohen et al
Serial No. : 09/670,250 Examiner : O. Rojas
Filed : Sept. 26, 2000 Art Unit : 2874
Patent No. : 6,976,792
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For : OPTICAL FIBER SPACE TRANSFORMATION

February 8, 2007

REQUEST FOR A CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

Certificate
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of Correction

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Upon comparison of U.S. Patent No. 6,976,792 granted on December 20, 2005, to Cohen et al for "OPTICAL FIBER SPACE TRANSFORMATION" with our file of the application therefore, the following error was found:

In the Patent

Column 8, Line 17 "baking step related to" should read

---baking step, related to---

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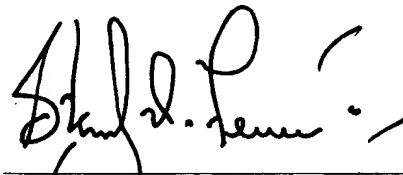
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It is respectfully requested that the Certificate of Correction be issued for attachment to the original patent under the provisions of Rules 322 and 323 of the Rules of Practice.

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Respectfully submitted



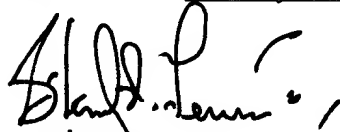
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